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Soviet Deliveries of Military Equipment and Materiel

I) Soviet deliveries of military equipment and materiel were valued at about \$100 million during 1974.

- A) During 1972 and 1973, military aid from the Soviet was estimated at \$375 and \$175.
- B) The downward trend during the past two years reflects North Vietnam's decreased requirements in the post-ceasefire period.

- 1. During 1974, North Vietnam received virtually no air defense equipment from the Soviets.
- 2. In past years, Soviet shipments of air defense equipment comprised one-third to one-half the total value of military aid.

- c) Almost all of the Soviet military aid during 1974 consisted of ground forces equipment and ammunition.

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